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In Favor of SB570

TO: The CT Energy and Technology Committee

RE: SB570, An Proposed Act Concerning Electric Savings And Fixed Bill Fees

FROM: Henry S. Lowendorf, Ph.D. 42 Young St., New Haven, CT 06511

Dear Members of the Committee:

What is needed in Connecticut's energy mix is fundamental equity as our state moves to 100% clean, sustainable generation sources, i.e. fossil-free and nuclear-free.

Proposed SB570 encourages the market penetration of distributed wind and solar in Connecticut. It will prevent regulated energy monopolies from promoting business as usual --fossil and nuclear electricity.

Also, equity for low income residents needs to be addressed. They pay into a Clean Energy Fund. However, as renters they rarely the energy conservation services that they pay monthly for. And they get saddled with nationally-high fixed service charges. Furthermore those living in cities should not be subsidizing rural residents. Please give us a break!

Thank you for your consideration.

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